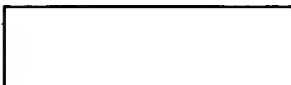


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1. Harry Reynolds telephoned again about the "black duck/blue goose" paper and said that he thought it would be necessary to control the grades by service designation. I told him that I had no firm ideas on this and to go ahead and work it up that way if he thought it was best. (In this connection, I must push [redacted] to get out his "manpower controls procedure.")

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2. Walter Pforzheimer reports that a 7.5 per cent pay raise, retroactive to 1 March 1955, has been approved and, presumably, will be signed by the President when he returns within the next few days. Told him to alert [redacted] so that we would get out a Notice promptly.

3. Dr. Tietjen telephoned to say that he thought Regulation No. [redacted] having to do with the authority of the I&R Staff, might go a little far in that it said that no files of any kind would be withheld from that Staff. I told him that this had slipped by but that he could stop members of that organization at any time he felt they were getting into an area which, according to our doctor/patient ethics, was improper, in which case, of course, they would be referred to me.

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4. Mr. Townsend, Executive Director of the Fairfax Chamber of Commerce, telephoned. I told him that we had made no definite decision as to a site but that we had submitted legislation which, if approved, would authorize funds for the construction of an extension to the George Washington Memorial Parkway if Langley should be selected. He said that Mr. McNeill of Senator Robertson's office had suggested the possibility of getting this matter before the Public Works Committee and indicated that he was ready to proceed. I told him that we hoped to obtain this authorization without involving the Public Works Committee and suggested that he keep away from them for the moment.

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5. I talked to [redacted] about the procurement of about \$500,000 worth of equipment in connection with Project [redacted]. He said that procurement was going forward so that we would obligate the funds prior to 30 June, but that Allotment Account No. 6895-10 was dry and needed about \$500,000. I told Ed Saunders to look into this and to take the necessary action.

6. We have been notified by the House Appropriations Committee that the Hearing on our proposed new building will be held at 10:00 a.m. tomorrow morning.

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7. Colonel [] who is retiring next week, was in to see me about a possible job with CIA. Later he met with [] and Bob Amory. Apparently, they are both interested and [] seems to be inclined to go with []. He would like to be recalled to active duty. If they definitely have a slot for him it would be necessary to clear it with the Director. (I shall speak to Harry Reynolds and get it on the rails.)

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8. [] telephoned to discuss the [] hassle concerning allowances. I expressed my views in the matter and told him that I would be very glad to present them at any time if called upon, but that it would suit me just as well if the Director handled this with [] without involving me.

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9. Phil Pope telephoned on behalf of [], a regular Army Major who contracted polio and will be retired on the 30th of this month. [] is interested in continuing his career in intelligence and would be interested in coming to CIA. I told Phil that I would be glad to see [] at any time. (Incidentally, Phil also said that Roy Reynolds would be the new Executive in G-2 and Chuck Dunn would be the new Chief of the Collection Division. Phil continues as head of the Collection Branch.)

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